Turkish Riviera Deluxe Cruise

ISTANBUL ● EPHESUS ● GALLIPOLI

The Offer

Take the adventure of a lifetime where history, culture and natural beauty meet on the shimmering Turkish Riviera. Discover the wonders of this incredible country on a 17-day adventure where you'll have the chance to experience historic landmarks, mythological sites and an unforgettable cruise onboard a grand Gulet yacht.

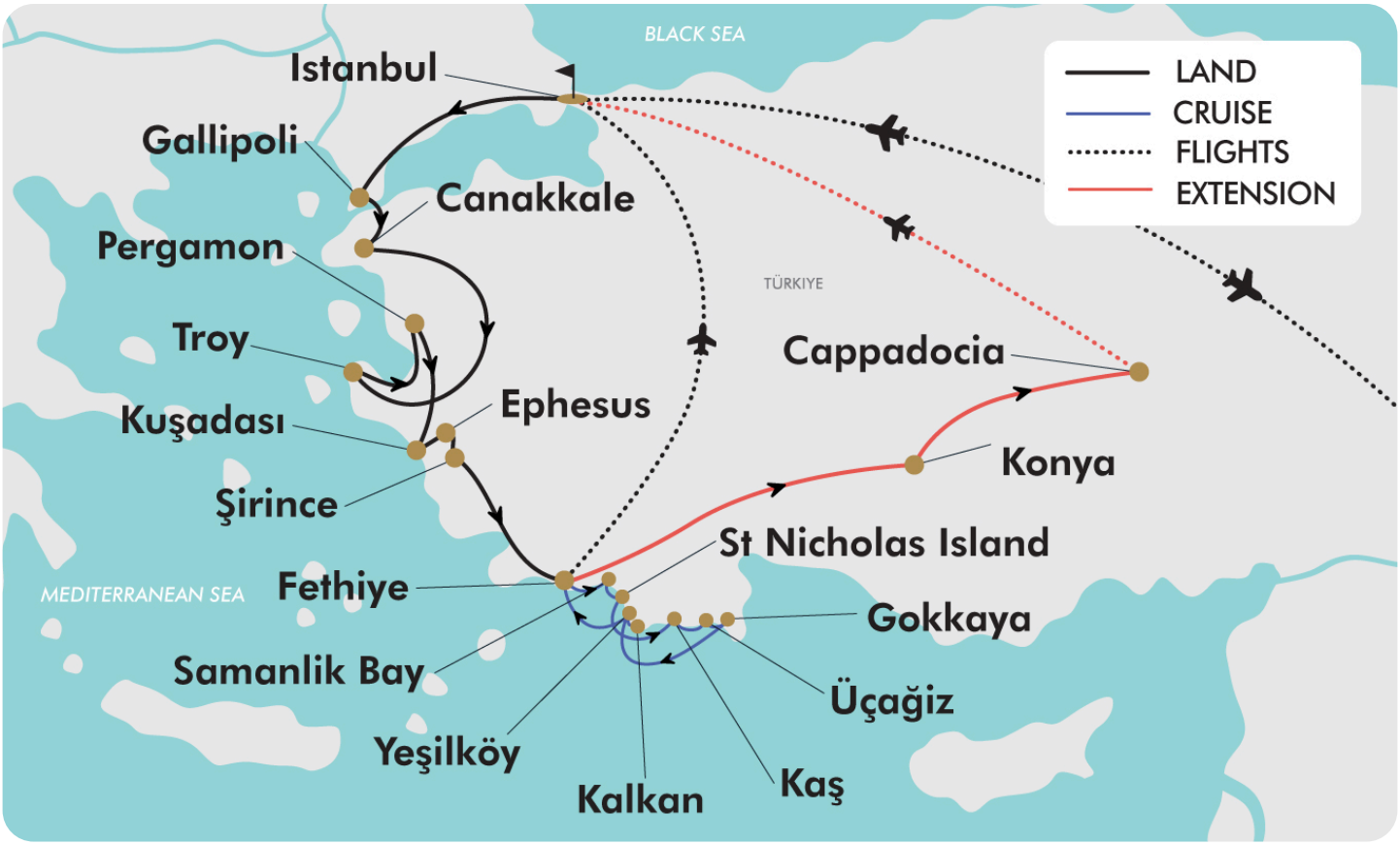
Your land tour begins in Istanbul, where you'll dive headfirst into the old city's charm with a thrilling day tour that takes you to the majestic Topkapi Palace, inspiring Blue Mosque (Sultan Ahmet Imperial Mosque) and vibrant Spice Bazaar. Join a small group tour in Gallipoli to immerse yourself in the Anzac legends and visit the infamous World War I battlefields before visiting the legendary archaeological site of Troy. Dive further into history with a visit to the well-preserved ancient ruins of Ephesus.

Your adventure continues as you set sail from the picturesque harbour of Fethiye aboard a luxurious Gulet yacht. Relax onboard this classic wooden boat with modern and spacious cabins, sunbathing mattresses that beckon you to soak up the Mediterranean sun, a steamy hot tub, equipment for watersports and more. Cruise the warm turquoise waters of the Mediterranean Sea to the enchanting Butterfly Valley where 136 different varieties of butterflies await. Marvel at a breathtaking sunrise as you set sail to Kas where you can spend the day wandering markets to shop for local hand-made treasures. Soak up the luxury of sailing to Kekova, Firnaz Bay, Kalkan, Camli Burun and more for leisure time spent sunbathing, swimming and exploring. Disembark your cruise back in Fethiye where an internal flight awaits to transfer you back to Istanbul, marking the end of your incredible journey.

This once-in-a-lifetime voyage includes return international full-service flights, a 7-night deluxe yacht cruise with a private chef, 7 nights of 4 and 5-star accommodation, 30 meals and so much more.

Want more? Choose the extension package to explore Cappadocia and beyond or add extra days to your itinerary with Arrive Early and Stay Behind in Istanbul packages.

The Map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The Itinerary

Itinerary 1

Day 1 Australia (or New Zealand) - Istanbul, Tu◇rkiye

Today you'll depart for Istanbul, Türkiye!

Please note: Flight times will be indicated on your final documentation which you will receive 4-6 weeks prior to departure, some customers may depart on Day 2 and arrive on Day 2.

Meals included: In-Flight

Day 2 Welcome to Istanbul!

Upon arrival into Istanbul, make your way to Exit Gate 13 and be met by the tour leader and transferred to the hotel.The rest of the day is yours to spend at leisure and explore this magnificent historic city.The rest of the day is yours to spend at leisure and explore this magnificent historic city.

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Overnight: La Quinta Hotel or similar, Istanbul
Meals included: None

Day 3 Istanbul City Tour

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Afterwards, you'll see the Sultan Ahmet Imperial Mosque which was built in the 16th century by the architect Mehmet. It's best known as the Blue Mosque because of its magnificent interior decoration of blue Iznik tiles. Next, you'll see the Ancient Hippodrome which is the scene of a number of chariot races and features three monuments of the Obelisk of Theodosius, the bronze Serpent Column and the Column of Constantine. After lunch (not included), you will visit the Spice Bazaar (Egyptian Bazaar) where the air is filled with the enticing aromas of cinnamon, caraway, saffron, mint, thyme and every other conceivable herb and spice.

Please note: Topkapi Palace is closed on Tuesdays. If the tour is affected, it will be replaced with a visit to the Ibrahim Pasha Palace (Turkish Islamic Art Museum).

Overnight: La Quinta Hotel or similar, Istanbul
Meals included: Breakfast

Day 4 Gallipoli Tour – Canakkale

Today, depart for Gallipoli on an approximately 315-kilometre travel day. When you arrive in Gallipoli at midday, you'll enjoy lunch at leisure (not included) before departing for the historic battlefields of World War I. Here you'll see the Gaba Tepe Museum, Ari Burnu Cemetery, Anzac Cove, Beach Cemetery, Shrapnel Valley and Plugge's Plateau. After the tour, you'll continue driving to your hotel in Canakkale.

Overnight: Troia Tusan Hotel or similar, Canakkale
Meals included: Breakfast; Dinner

The Itinerary

Itinerary 1

Day 5 Canakkale – Troy Tour – Pergamon Tour – Kusadasi

Today, you will visit the famous archaeological and mythological site of Troy which is home to the Trojan Horse and Helen of Troy. After the tour, you'll drive to Pergamon where you'll enjoy lunch at leisure (not included) before departing on a tour of the magnificent acropolis where impressive temples and a library have made it a renowned cultural and political centre. You will also enjoy a stop at a jewellery centre as Pergamon is famous for its jewellery, stones and silver. In the evening, you'll arrive in Kusadasi for dinner after travelling approximately 400 kilometres today.

Overnight: Ramada Kusadasi Hotel & Spa or similar, Kusadasi
Meals included: Breakfast; Dinner

Day 6 Ephesus Tour & Sirince Tour

Today, you'll enjoy a guided tour of Ephesus which is one of the best-preserved ancient sites in the world. You'll visit the Temple of Artemis, Curetes Street, Roman baths, the Library of Celsus, the Grand Theatre and the House of the Virgin Mary. You'll then visit a place that continues to perform one of the oldest arts of Türkiye, a carpet-weaving centre.

Afterwards, enjoy a tour of the Turkish village of Sirince. This is a pretty village that dates back to the 19th century with original white-painted houses. On the way back to the hotel, you'll visit one of the famous leather production centres of the region.

Overnight: Ramada Kusadasi Hotel & Spa or similar, Kusadasi
Meals included: Breakfast; Dinner

Day 7 Kusadasi - Fethiye - Turkish Riviera Luxury Gulet Cruise

After breakfast, you'll depart for Fethiye, stopping for a refreshment break along the way before arriving at the Fethiye Harbour. Here you will board the Gulet which is your home for the next 7 nights. Get to know your crew for the first dinner before setting sail from the picturesque harbour, this is where the Mediterranean meets the Aegean Sea so it's full of delightful little coves. This evening is your chance to get to know fellow sailors over a few drinks and a sunset onboard before docking in Samanlik Bay.

Overnight: Gulet Grand Acar or similar
Meals included: Breakfast; Dinner

Day 8 Samanlik Bay - St Nicholas Island

Set sail early this morning along the picturesque coast of Fethiye, stopping for lunch in a secluded bay. Next, you'll head to Butterfly Valley where you will get the chance to visit this amazing bay that hosts 136 different varieties of butterflies.

Afterwards, you'll cruise to the warm turquoise waters of Oludeniz (the Blue Lagoon) which are flanked by sheer mountains. Spend the night anchored near St Nicholas Island where you can explore the ruins of a Byzantine settlement before another social dinner on deck.

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The Itinerary

Itinerary 1

Day 9 St Nicholas Island - Kas

Enjoy a sunrise departure to Yesilkoy where'll enjoy breakfast and a swim in the quiet bay surrounded by olive groves. Afterwards, you're on to Kas which is the pearl of the Mediterranean where you'll spend the next few hours wandering tiny little streets and markets to shop for local hand-made trinkets, beautiful ceramics and jewellery. Later in the day, you'll depart for the idyllic Limanagzi Bay for a well-earned swim and dinner.

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Day 10 Kas - Ucagiz

This morning you'll set sail for Cayagzi, Demre, where you will have the option to transfer by car to Myra and St Nicholas Church (please inform your captain if you would like to visit there, transfers are not included). After lunch, you'll visit the city of Simena which is a traditional fishing village with no car access. Here you can see the impressive castle overlooking the bay and the natural amphitheatre of Ucagiz Bay with its Lycian tomb which is a perfect morning point to catch a fiery sunset.

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Day 11 Ucagiz - Gokkaya

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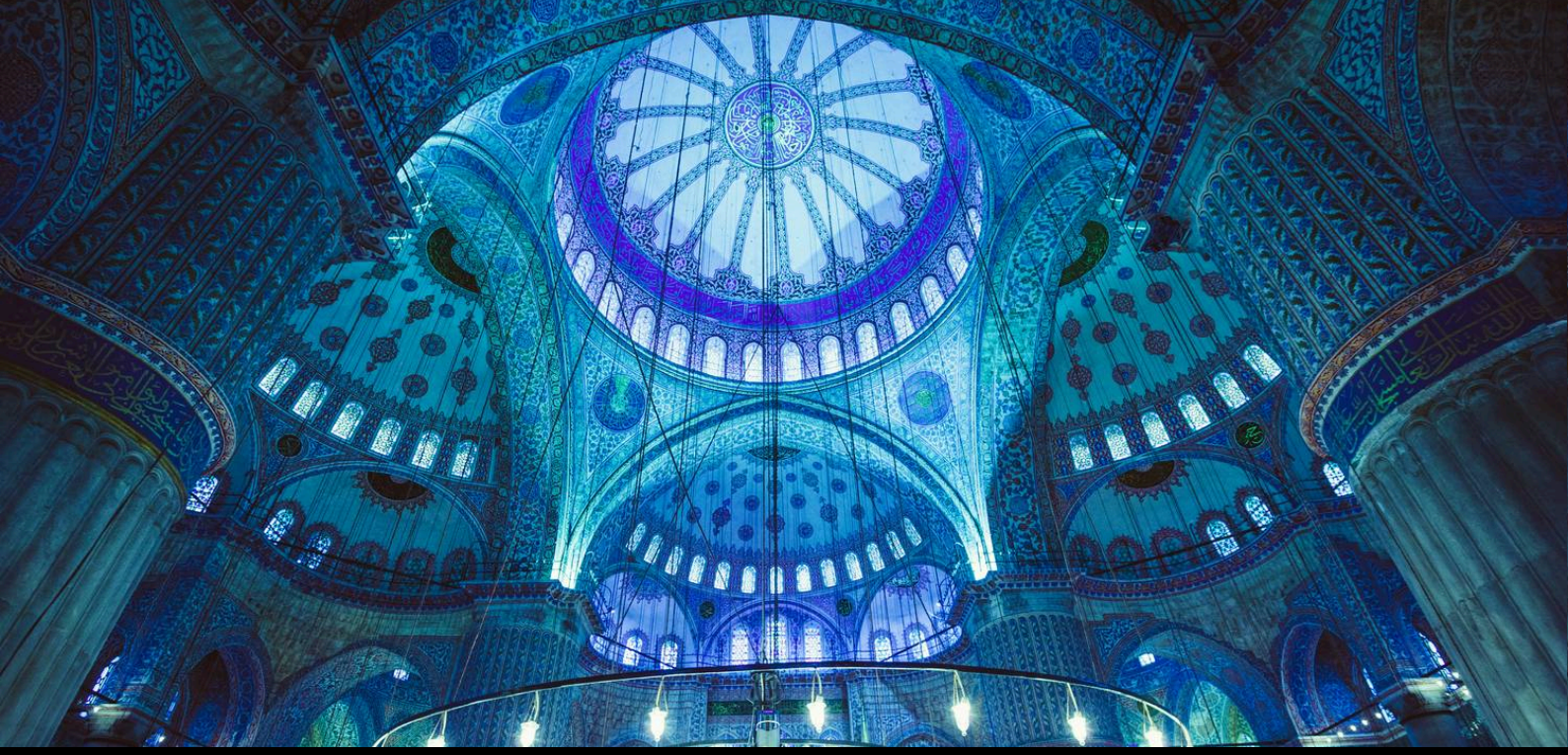

The Itinerary

Itinerary 1

Day 14 Fethiye - Day at Leisure

After breakfast, disembark your Gulet cruise and make your way to your hotel. Enjoy the remainder of the day at leisure.

Overnight: Alesta Yacht Hotel or similar, Fethiye
Meals included: Breakfast

Day 15 Fethiye - Istanbul

This morning, depart to Dalaman Airport for your internal flight to Istanbul. Upon arrival, be transferred to your hotel and enjoy the remainder of the day at leisure.

Overnight: La Quinta Hotel or similar, Istanbul
Meals included: Breakfast

Day 16 Istanbul, Tu◇rkiye - Australia (or New Zealand)

Today, at the appropriate time, you will be transferred to the airport for your return flight to Australia (or New Zealand).

Meals included: Breakfast; In-Flight

Day 17 Arrive in Australia (or New Zealand)

Please note: Some flights may arrive +1 days later.

The Itinerary

Itinerary 2 - Cappadocia Extension Package

Day 1 Australia (or New Zealand) - Istanbul, Tu◇rkiye

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The Itinerary

Itinerary 2 - Cappadocia Extension Package

Day 14 Fethiye - Day at Leisure

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Overnight: Alesta Yacht Hotel or similar, Fethiye
Meals included: Breakfast

Day 15 Fethiye - Konya – Cappadocia

After breakfast, you'll travel to Konya, stopping for coffee and a break on an approximately 690-kilometre day. Upon arrival, you'll visit the imposing, green-tiled Mausoleum of Mevlana which is the resting place of the mystic founder of the Sufi sect, 'The Whirling Dervishes'. Afterwards, your journey continues to the magnificent historical region of Cappadocia where you will check-in to the hotel and enjoy the rest of the evening at leisure.

Overnight: El Puente Cave Hotel or similar, Cappadocia
Meals included: Breakfast

Day 16 Cappadocia - Day at Leisure

Today, enjoy a full day at leisure to explore this unique magical city. Cappadocia is known for its unique geological formations including surreal landscapes of cone-shaped rock formations, underground cities and ancient cave dwellings. Cappadocia has been inhabited for thousands of years and has a rich history that spans various civilizations.

Overnight: El Puente Cave Hotel or similar, Cappadocia
Meals included: Breakfast

Day 17 Cappadocia Tour with Underground City & Goreme Open Air Museum

Following breakfast, drive to the Ozkonak underground city which is one of Cappadocia's best preserved underground cities. Afterwards, you'll visit Uchisar Castle, the highest point of Cappadocia. Next, stop by the Goreme Open Air Museum which is famous for frescoes describing the life of Jesus Christ and monks that date back to the 10th century. Head to a pottery workshop to see how the locals make pottery before continuing to Pasabagi to see the unique natural formation of the three-headed fairy chimneys. Your next stop is Devrent Valley, also called Imagination Valley, where you can see natural rock formations before enjoying time shopping at a handicraft centre. The last stop is the Three Beauties which are three fairy chimneys with their hats, thought to be the symbol of Cappadocia.

Optional Activity: Hot Air Ballooning in Cappadocia (book on tour, not included)

Early this morning, why not take the opportunity to join an amazing optional experience? Take a hot air balloon over the spectacular landscape of Cappadocia.

Book on tour, not included.

Please note:

- *As you can appreciate, Hot Air Ballooning is a highly sought after bucket list adventure and is dependent on good weather conditions. As a result, prices can fluctuate quite dramatically and we recommend researching before you travel so that you can manage your travel budget.*

The Itinerary

Itinerary 2 - Cappadocia Extension Package

- *If you wish to embark on the balloon journey then please inform the tour leader the day prior.*

Overnight: El Puente Cave Hotel or similar, Cappadocia
Meals included: Breakfast

Day 18 Cappadocia - Istanbul

Enjoy the morning at leisure or take the opportunity to take part in an optional tour. At the appropriate time, transfer to Kayseri Airport for the domestic flight to Istanbul. Upon arrival, be transferred to your accommodation to enjoy your final evening at leisure.

Optional Tour: Early Morning Jeep Safari - $140 per person

Starting at 06:00 you'll drive to Cappadocia Valley to explore the scenery while all the balloons are up in the air, following their path by land through the Fairy Chimneys. You will be back at the hotel just in time to prepare for your return flight to Istanbul.

Overnight: La Quinta Hotel or similar, Istanbul
Meals included: Breakfast

Day 19 Istanbul, Tu◇rkiye - Australia (or New Zealand)

Today, at the appropriate time, you will be transferred to the airport for your return flight to Australia (or New Zealand).

Meals included: Breakfast; In-Flight

Day 20 Arrive in Australia (or New Zealand)

Please note: Some customers may arrive +1 day.

Tour Inclusions

HIGHLIGHTS

- Discover the incredible wonders and hotspots of Türkiye
- Sail the stunning Turkish Riviera from Fethiye on a 4-star Turkish Gulet
- Visit the stunning Topkapi Palace and more on a city tour of Istanbul
- Experience the sights, sounds and scents of the Spice Bazaar
- See Sultanahmet Imperial Mosque (Blue Mosque) and explore the historical Hippodrome
- Travel to Gallipoli on a small group tour to explore the historic battlefields
- Separate fact from fiction at the archaeological site of Troy
- Explore the magnificent acropolis of Pergamon and stop at a jewellery centre
- Visit the Temple of Artemis and House of The Virgin Mary on a tour of Ephesus
- Stop by a carpet-weaving centre to learn about one of Türkiye's oldest arts
- Travel to the beautiful village of Sirince, Türkiye
- Watch a memorable sunset from the incredible Fethiye harbour
- Admire 136 species of winged insects at a Butterfly Valley nature reserve
- Explore the ruins of an ancient Byzantine settlement on St Nicholas Island
- Explore the markets of Kas, the pearl of the Mediterranean
- Visit Simena, a secluded fishing village with no vehicle access
- Discover Byzantine church ruins on the beach in Tersane Bay on Kekova Island
- Witness the hauntingly unforgettable sunken city of Kekova
- Explore the cobblestoned streets of delightful Kalkan
- Enjoy a fascinating day at leisure in the port city of Fethiye

FLIGHTS

- Return international full-service flights (economy class), departure city surcharges may apply (Excludes Trip Only option)
- One internal flight from Fethiye to Istanbul (standard package)

CRUISE

- 7-night deluxe Gulet yacht cruise
- Yacht cruise with intermittent air-conditioning and entertainment sound system
- Private chef for the group

ACCOMMODATION

- 7 nights of 4 and 5-star accommodation

DINING

- 30 meals including all while cruising

ESSENTIALS

- English-speaking tour leader (Day 2 to Day 7)
- Airport taxes and surcharges

TRANSPORT

- Transportation by private air-conditioned vehicles

TRANSFERS

- Return airport transfers (Excludes Trip Only option)

Tour Inclusions

EXTENSION PACKAGE

Three additional nights in a cave hotel in Cappadocia
One internal flight from Cappadocia to Istanbul
Cappadocia tour to the Underground City and Goreme Open Air Museum
3 additional meals

Important Information

**Please note: All information provided in this brochure is subject to both change and availability. Prior to purchase please check the current deal for up-to-date information. If you have already purchased this deal, the terms and conditions on your Purchase Confirmation apply and take precedence over the information in this brochure.*

Booking Information

After purchase, you will receive a receipt and a Purchase Confirmation, directing you to an online Passenger Information Form. You must complete the Passenger Information Form within 72 hours of purchase. Any special requests, preferences and optional extras MUST be clearly stated in your Passenger Information Form. Any change requested after submitting your Passenger Information Form cannot be guaranteed, is strictly subject to availability and will incur surcharges as outlined in the Schedule of Fees below.
On purchasing this Travel Offer, you are bound by the General Terms and Conditions and the specific terms and conditions outlined in this Important Information.

Please note: All countries and territories have different entry requirements in relation to vaccinations, quarantine/isolation periods and travel restrictions. Due to the evolving nature, we would ask all of our customers to monitor, meet and adhere to the specific requirements of their intended destination(s) in the lead-up to and immediately before travel, as well as any requirements post-travel upon their return.

Our Policies

Cancellation & Refund Policy

By placing a booking with us, you acknowledge the following important information:

- **we act as your booking agent:** TripADeal is a booking services provider, and curates the Travel Offers available on our website. We act as your booking agent, and we receive payment for the Booking Services as part of the booking price, however, we do not provide any of the Travel Services (flights, accommodation, tours or other products or services) included in your booking – the Travel Services are provided by a number of third party Travel Suppliers.
- **each booking is unique:** our Travel Offers are made up of a variety of different components and are, during the booking process, uniquely tailored to suit your requirements, for example, departure dates and ports, flight and room upgrades, tour inclusions, etc.
- **changes/modifications to your booking may not be possible:** once your booking has been made, changes or modifications may not be possible, and where possible, may incur a fee. It is important to ensure that the information you provide during the booking process is accurate and up to date, and that you read the Travel Offer carefully before placing your order.
- **Travel Offers are a package:** our Travel Offers have been curated into package offerings and must be used as a package – individual components cannot be used independently of the full package offering.
- **our Travel Offers are generally non-refundable:** in order to provide great value Travel Offers, we work with a variety of Travel Suppliers to find the best deals – this often means the Travel Suppliers' offerings are non-refundable to ensure the best price. We recommend that you obtain travel insurance as soon as you make a booking with us.

To read more about our Cancellation and Refund Policy, please click here.

General Terms and Conditions

By placing your booking with us, you acknowledge and agree to our Terms & Conditions, Privacy Policy and Cancellation Policy.

Offer Essentials

This travel offer is valid for travel on selected dates until 10 October 2027. This travel offer is priced per person based on a twin share.

Single Traveller Supplement

For solo travellers, a mandatory single supplement applies:
- Standard Package: $4,800
- Extension Package: $5,000

Please note: Accommodation for single customers who are travelling on a tour or cruise package may be in a single room, depending on availability.

Departure Dates & Surcharges

See checkout for live dates and availability.

Flights

(Flight information for options excluding Trip Only)

Departure Cities

Sydney, *Melbourne, *Brisbane, *Adelaide, *Perth or *Auckland.

Departure City Surcharges

- Melbourne & Perth: $50 per person
- Brisbane: $150 per person
- Adelaide: $300 per person
- Auckland: $350 per person

International Full-Service Flight(s)

- Cabin Class: Economy Class

Please note: We cannot accommodate one-way flights. Travellers must take all included flights within the package, and any flights intentionally forfeited will result in later flights being subject to cancellation.

Please note: From Australia, the flying journey to your destination may take up to 28 hours, with up to 1 stop. This is provided as a guide only - actual flight duration can vary depending on availability and airline schedules. Your booking's final details will be confirmed to you via email once available.

From New Zealand, the flying journey to your destination may take up to 28 hours, with up to 2 stops. This is provided as a guide only - actual flight duration can vary depending on availability and airline schedules. Your booking's final details will be confirmed to you via email once available.

Important Information

Missed Flights

If you fail to arrive for your outbound flight, you risk all flight and land arrangements in your destination being automatically cancelled by the airlines and land operator, respectively. Additional fees may apply to reinstate these services. If you will miss your flight for whatever reason, please contact us as soon as possible to make arrangements.

Preferred Airline Surcharge

- Cabin Class: Economy Class
- Qatar: $265 per person
- Emirates: $315 per person

Please note:

- *Preferred airlines are subject to availability. If we are unable to fulfil your request, the above extra cost will be refunded.*
- *On any upgrade purchase, short-haul flights and domestic flight sectors are not guaranteed, subject to aircraft configuration.*
- *In the event that a purchased stopover package and a purchased preferred airline upgrade are not compatible, you will have the option to receive a refund for the preferred airline upgrade or be offered an alternative stopover city option, e.g if you choose to fly with Singapore Airlines you cannot stopover in Dubai.*
- *Preferred airline refers to the marketing carrier and could include codeshare partners.*

Arrive Early & Stay Behind Options

Fly out and return home up to 60 days pre and post your tour dates.

Arrive Early

Istanbul - From $300 per person, subject to availability.

Stay Behind

Istanbul - From $300 per person, subject to availability.

Please note:

- ***Exclusions:***

  This fee does not include extra nights' accommodation, meals or airport transfers.

- ***Internal Flights:***

  If you select to Arrive Early or Stay Behind in a city other than the one where the tour starts or ends, the package will include an internal flight to your destination. If you wish to forfeit this flight, please advise our friendly team at the time of purchase. Please note that the cost does not change when you choose to forfeit your connecting flight.

- ***Cancellations & Changes:***

  Flight booking changes or cancellations after air tickets have been issued are not guaranteed and may incur additional fees and fare difference, subject to the airline cancellation and change policies. Flight changes are subject to availability at the time of booking.

- ***High-Season:***

  A high-season Arrive Early or Stay Behind can be purchased for an additional charge, subject to availability. For pricing, please refer to the cart.

- ***+ 60 days:***

  You can fly out up to 60 days before your package's start date, and/or return home 60 days after your package's end date. Should you wish to fly out or return home for more than 60 days from the tour, please contact us to request availability. Additional costs may apply.

- ***Estimated dates:***

  Your estimated departure, return, and arrival dates are all subject to availability and may vary. The confirmed schedule for all flights will be provided when you receive your flight tickets.

- *High season surcharges apply to flights departing between the below date ranges:*
- *12 December 2026 - 26 January 2027*
- *19th December 2026 - 3rd January 2027*
- *4th January 2027 - 26th January 2027*
- *19th March 2027 - 28th April 2027*
- *19th June 2027 - 18th July 2027*
- *11th September 2027 - 10th October 2027*
- *10th December 2027 - 19th December 2027*
- *20th December 2027 - 3rd January 2028*

Stopover Packages

- Doha
- Dubai
- Singapore

Includes:

- 2, 3 or 5 nights in 4-star accommodation
- Daily breakfast
- Return airport transfers

For pricing, please refer to the payment cart at checkout.

Please note:

- *When a pre and post-tour stopover is chosen, the same stopover location must be chosen each way, due to the airline used.*
- *When selecting to Arrive Early for your tour in conjunction with a Stopover Package, your fly out date from home will take place before the stopover.*
- *When selecting to Stay Behind after your tour in conjunction with a Stopover Package, your stopover will take place before your final flight home.*
- *Stopover packages are subject to availability.*
- *In the event that a purchased stopover package and a purchased preferred airline upgrade are not compatible, you will have the option to receive a refund for the preferred airline upgrade or be offered an alternative stopover city option, e.g if you choose to fly with Singapore Airlines you cannot stopover in Dubai.*
- *Blackout dates apply to flights departing between the below date ranges:*

Singapore Grand Prix: 01 October - 09 October 2026
Christmas and New Years Eve - 18 December 2026 to 3 January 2027
Hong Kong Rugby 7's: end March/ beginning April - (dates tbc)
Singapore Grand Prix: 30 September - 05 October 2027 (dates are still tbc)
Doha Grand Prix: end November 2027 (dates are tbc)
Abu Dhabi Grand Prix (for Dubai): 21 - 26 October 2027 (dates are still tbc)
Christmas and New Years Eve - 20 December 2027 to 3 January 2028

Important Information

Flight Class Upgrades

Business or Premium Economy Class: For pricing, please refer to the payment cart at checkout.

Please note:

- *Flight upgrades are subject to availability and pricing changes (if we cannot fulfil your request, the upgrade cost will be refunded).*
- *On any upgrade purchase, short-haul flights and domestic flight sectors are not guaranteed, subject to aircraft configuration.*

Domestic Flight Information

Baggage allowance per person

- 1 x 15 kg of checked baggage
- 1 x 7 kg of carry on baggage

Trip Only Option

If you choose to remove international flights from your package, your holiday may be shorter, as travel days for flights are not included in the Trip Only package. You will receive an email confirmation when minimum numbers have been met and the departure is guaranteed.
We recommend making further travel arrangements, such as flights, after you have received confirmation of a guaranteed departure.
TripADeal assumes no liability for financial losses incurred due to travel arrangements made prior to confirmation of guaranteed departure.
Note: The Trip Only Package does not include return international airfares or airport transfers. At the conclusion of the tour, you will be responsible for booking your own onward travel.
Click here for full Trip Only terms and conditions (see section 4.1)

Please note: Return international flights and transfers to and from the tour are not included in the Trip Only option.

Cruise

4-Star Cruise

Grand Acar is a high-quality Gulet, 35 metres in length, and was newly renovated in 2022. The cabins are modern and spacious, specially designed with a hall and deck. She accommodates 16 guests in 8 Cabins, Each has a private shower and toilet. All yachts, including cabins, have intermittent air-conditioning.
There is a fully equipped kitchen, an indoor and outdoor dining area, and an air-conditioned lounge. There is a TV, DVD and music system in the saloon. There is also a large sun deck with enough sunbathing mats for all. The jacuzzi on the Gulet Grand Acar deck offers guests a pleasant atmosphere as well.

Please note: Gulet's offered are subject to availability based on seasonality. In the instance a property is not available, a similar boat will be provided.

Cabins/Staterooms

Please note: Cruise timetables are subject to change. Some cruise cabins may have restricted views, based on availability.

Accommodation

Accommodation Used

4 & 5-Star Properties (Self-Rated)

- Istanbul: La Quinta Hotel
- Canakkale: Troia Tusan Hotel
- Kusadasi: Ramada Kusadasi Hotel
- Fethiye: Alesta Yacht Hotel

4-Star Gulet Cruise

- Gulet Grand Acar

Extension Package

- Cappadocia: El Puente Cave Hotel

Please note: Accommodation/rooms offered are based on a lead-in room type and are subject to availability based on seasonality. In the instance a property is not available, a similar standard of accommodation will be provided. Properties will be confirmed and included in your travel pack, which you will receive 4-6 weeks before travel.

Extra Nights

Not available.

Maximum Room Capacity

2 people.

Child Policy

- No child discounts. The full price applies to all children travelling with their parents.
- Valid for children 18 years old and over.

Please note: Children must be accompanied by a responsible adult 18 years old and over to travel. No unaccompanied minors are allowed.

Triple Share

Not available.

Bedding Configuration

Double Bed Configuration.

Please note: Due to cabin sizes, twin singles are not available.

General Information

Minimum group size 12, maximum group size 16 per vehicle.

Please note: The minimum number for the extension package is 6 people.

Optional Tours/activities

Itinerary 2

- Day 17: Hot Air Ballooning in Cappadocia (to be booked on tour) - guide to confirm the cost on tour.

Please note: Prices are based per person, are subject to availability, time permitting and weather conditions, and are payable directly to the tour operator in the currency specified.

- *Day 18: Early Morning Jeep Safari $150 per person*

Please note:

- *The optional tours listed above must be purchased on checkout or over the phone before submitting your passenger information form (subject to availability).*
- *Some tours or shore excursions require minimum numbers to operate.*
- *Shore excursions can be booked/reserved directly with the cruise line before travel (subject to availability).*
- *Shore excursions can also be booked whilst onboard (subject to availability).*

Important Information

- *Shore excursion programmes and itineraries may vary depending on local conditions and/or any unforeseen events concerning the timing on the day of the tour. Some excursions are very popular, and therefore availability cannot always be guaranteed, it is advisable to book in advance to avoid disappointment.*

Exclusions

- Visa fees and requirements
- Domestic transfers and flights not stated in the deal offer
- Meals/beverages not stated in the deal offer
- Gratuities/tipping
- Optional activities/tours
- Personal expenses
- Travel insurance
- City Tax

Please note: A daily City Tourist Tax (or a Docking Tax for cruise visitors) is charged in some European destinations. They are paid directly to the hotel or cruise company, and cannot be prepaid. Further details will be included in your travel.

Other Important Information

TOUR GUIDE VS. TOUR LEADER

Tour Guide

Often locals with intimate knowledge of an area, its culture, and history. Their role entails providing commentary, routing the tour, and seeing that people have a good time. They are a licensed, qualified expert who supplies specific information on the history, art, architecture and culture of the city/village/attraction where they are guiding the tour. The guide meets the group at the required place and leaves it at the end of the tour; they do not travel with the group.

Tour Leader

An experienced person tasked with ensuring the smooth operation of tours, as well as providing practical support to passengers throughout the whole trip. Their role primarily includes assisting with accommodation, transportation between locations, and communication with tour guides at each stop. A tour leader may provide general guidance around a city or village and offer information on the place visited on the bus. However, they are not required to have specific art, architecture, or historical knowledge. They are not allowed to provide a guided tour or commentary of a city/village/attraction once there and, if caught doing so, can be fined.

Please note: Tour leaders/guides are not a standard inclusion in all travel offers. Tour leaders/guides will only be made available when required to enhance the experience of the destination featured.

CLIMATE & AVERAGE TEMPERATURES
Temperatures in May/June and September/October are between 22 and 30°C. January/December has an average temperature of around 15°C. The continental climate in Türkiye is characterised by dry summers and sometimes snowy winters. Rainfall is sparse and the region is largely semi-arid to arid. There is a sharp difference in the temperature between day and night and it is not uncommon to have cold nights interspersed with hot days.

FLIGHTS

Seat Selection & Frequent Flyer Points

We do not arrange seat selection. It is essential to highlight that some airlines do not allow pre-selected seats. We strongly suggest you contact the airline directly with seating allocation requirements and/or arrive at the airport earlier to arrange your seating. While we do not add frequent flyer member details to bookings, you can do this directly with the airline once you have your flight information.

Passport Validity

Customers must provide valid passport details either at the time of purchase or no later than 45 days before the departure date. Failure to do so may result in the cancellation of the booking. Customers will be responsible for any costs and fees incurred in this instance.

COACH TOUR

Meals

For meals not included, the tour leader (when available) will offer assistance with reservations, suggestions and directions to local restaurants. It is your responsibility to notify us of any dietary requests/requirements.

Please note: We will do our best to meet your requests/requirements; however, we cannot guarantee that we will always be able to.

Luggage

You will be responsible for all your personal belongings whilst on tour. You must carry your own luggage from the vehicle to the hotel room and back to the vehicle. The driver will assist with the uploading and unloading of bags from the vehicle.

OTHER

Mobility

If you require wheelchair access please contact our friendly sales and service team to inquire on your behalf.

Fitness Level Required

Adventure (and spontaneity) create some of the best travel memories. Bear in mind, your home schedules and timings might not be adhered to on tour - it's all part of the fun!
A moderate level of fitness will be required. Moderate may involve more physical activity, including biking, longer day hikes or extended walking and standing, low-altitude treks, and water-based activities such as canoeing or low-grade kayaking. Guests using any walking aid other than a walking stick would be advised to reconsider as surfaces may be uneven.

Please note: If you have any concerns, please consult your healthcare provider prior to purchase/travel.

Gratuities/Tipping

Land

Gratuities (tips) are not included for the services of the tour leader (when available)

and driver throughout the tour. The recommended tip is 8 Euro per person/per day. This covers the guide/leader and the driver and will be collected on tour.

Please note: Tipping for services provided is always a matter of personal discretion; however, please be aware that many locals consider tipping part of their normal remuneration, and they may approach you for payment; there's no need to be intimidated by the request.

Cruise

The recommended tip for the cruise is USD $5 per person per day

Sightseeing

Please note: If entry to a site is affected by changes in operating hours or public holiday closures, your itinerary, where possible, may be adjusted, or a similar activity will be offered in its place (subject to availability).

Shopping

Shopping overseas can be a daunting and confusing experience, especially when there is a language barrier. Please be very cautious when foreign currencies and prices are involved. If paying by credit card, please pay close attention to the amount you are being charged and keep all your receipts. Do not make any purchases you are not comfortable with or feel pressured into. If you are uncertain or need assistance with the language barrier, please seek assistance from your Tour Guide/Leader. Please refer to our Terms and Conditions regarding shopping for further information.

Visas

A tourist visa is not required for stays of up to 90 days within a 180-day period when travelling on an Australian or New Zealand Passport. If you intend to stay longer, you must apply for a Turkish residence permit. Important:

- Please start arranging your visa three weeks before departure to account for any delays due to consulate operating hours.
- Visa rules may have changed since Covid-19. Some countries and airlines may require you to obtain an additional visa before arrival. Please check with the nearest embassy, consulate or immigration department of the destination you're entering.

Please note:

- *Passengers who are not Australian citizens must also check with the respective consulate or visa agency to determine what their visa requirements are and what personal identification is required.*
- *It is also important to note that some areas of employment, such as journalism, government authorities and charity organisations, may have additional restrictions in applying for visas. This may, in turn, affect the type of application required.*

Travel Insurance

Embarking on your next trip is exciting, and while you hope the unexpected does not happen, it is best to be prepared. We strongly recommend you take out travel insurance when making your booking. Whether it's a potential medical emergency, a flight cancellation, a delayed suitcase, or an unforeseen event, it's important to ensure you're adequately protected. For more information or advice visit https://www.tripadeal.com.au/travel-insurance

Schedule Of Fees

Voluntary Changes

This includes booking changes requested by you, including but not limited to those changes requiring an airline ticket or a Purchase Confirmation reissue.

- Changes - $100 AUD per booking and any additional charges applied by the airline/cruise company/accommodation/other travel providers.

Name Changes Due To Passenger Error

If the incorrect name has been provided, charges of $100 AUD per booking and any additional charges applied by the airline/cruise company/accommodation/other travel providers.

Supplier Fees

In the event the tour package you have purchased is unable to proceed, and/or a travel Supplier is unable to fulfil the tour due to external circumstances (Limitation of Liability e.g. a Force Majeure event), there may be a fee or amount of money that is withheld by our Suppliers and is unrecoverable. This may be due to non-refundable airline tickets, cancellation penalties with cruise cabins or unrecoverable payments with our land/accommodation partners. If refunds are not available from Suppliers, we will endeavour to obtain a travel credit on the best terms available and communicate these outcomes to you. In the event we are unable to obtain a refund or travel service credit, or part thereof, this cost is passed on to the customer as a Supplier Fee.